HOUSE BILL No. 1030

DIGEST OF INTRODUCED BILL

Citations Affected: IC 9-24-7-4.

Synopsis: Learner's permits. Requires the guardian or relative accompanying the holder of a motor vehicle learner's permit under 18 years of age during practice driving to be at least 21 years of age.

Effective: July 1, 2004.

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December 4, 2003, read first time and referred to Committee on Roads and Transportation.



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PRINTING CODE. Amendments: Whenever an existing statute (or a section of the Indiana Constitution) is being amended, the text of the existing provision will appear in this style type, additions will appear in this style type, and deletions will appear in this style type.

Additions: Whenever a new statutory provision is being enacted (or a new constitutional provision adopted), the text of the new provision will appear in **this style type**. Also, the word **NEW** will appear in that style type in the introductory clause of each SECTION that adds a new provision to the Indiana Code or the Indiana Constitution.

Conflict reconciliation: Text in a statute in *this style type* or *this style type* reconciles conflicts between statutes enacted by the 2003 Regular Session of the General Assembly.

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A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning motor vehicles.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:

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SECTION 1. IC 9-24-7-4 IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS
[EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2004]: Sec. 4. A learner's permit authorizes the
permit holder to operate a motor vehicle, except a motorcycle, upon a
public highway under the following conditions:

- (1) While the holder is participating in practice driving in an approved driver education course and is accompanied by a certified driver education instructor in the front seat of an automobile equipped with dual controls.
- (2) If the learner's permit has been validated and the holder is less than eighteen (18) years of age, the holder may participate in practice driving if the seat beside the holder is occupied by a guardian or relative of the holder who:
 - (A) holds a valid operator's, chauffeur's, or public passenger chauffeur's license; and
 - (B) is at least twenty-one (21) years of age.
- (3) If the learner's permit has been validated and the holder is at least eighteen (18) years of age, the holder may participate in



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1	practice driving if accompanied in the vehicle by an individual	
2	who holds a valid operator's, chauffeur's, or public passenger	
3	chauffeur's license.	
4	(4) While:	
5	(A) the holder is enrolled in an approved driver education	
6	course;	
7 8	(B) the holder is participating in practice driving after having	
9	commenced an approved driver education course; and (C) the seat beside the holder is occupied by a parent or	
10	guardian of the holder who holds a valid operator's,	
11	chauffeur's, or public passenger chauffeur's license.	
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